

2005



April 14 & 15, 2005

## 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference



# Strengthening Families to Prevent Child Abuse and Neglect

Owyhee Plaza Hotel, 1109 Main Street

### Happy 20th Anniversary!

The Idaho Children's Trust Fund has been working to prevent child abuse and neglect in Idaho since its establishment in 1985. Please join us as we celebrate with a 20th Anniversary Banquet on Thursday evening, April 14 highlighting the accomplishments of the past 20 years. Featured speaker will be Mac Bledsoe, founder and director of Parenting With Dignity, and father of pro football player Drew Bledsoe. Honored guests will include governors, legislators, and current and former ICTF board members. We look forward to your attendance, as the people who accomplish the hard work of preventing child abuse, to make our celebration complete!

In addition to our banquet and outstanding conference workshops, we are introducing "Discussion Tables" during conference breaks. This new concept will allow conference attendees to offer their opinion on one of three questions related to child abuse prevention in a small, informal, facilitated session. The questions we posed are: 1. How do we reach out to and engage at-risk parents in positive parenting models? 2. Who should be our community partners in preventing child sexual abuse? 3. How can Idaho address child abuse and neglect prevention through early care and learning settings? Space is limited, so register early!

At Friday's Super Hero Luncheon we will honor the 2005 ICTF Super Hero and the organization that nominated the Super Hero. The Super Hero winner receives a beautiful award and the applause and adulation of everyone at the conference, but the organization they volunteer for receives \$5,000! For more information about the Super Hero Contest, go to our website at <http://idahochildrenstrustfund.state.id.us>.

## Keynote Presenters



**Dave Ziegler, Ph.D., LMFT, LPC** is a licensed psychologist and executive director of SCAR/Jasper Mountain, an agency in Oregon that works with our society's most damaged children and their families. He is a therapist, clinical supervisor, trainer, media consultant, frequent expert witness and consultant to programs and states. He has worked with traumatized adults, children and their families over the last thirty-two years. Perhaps most important, he has also been a foster parent for dozens of the most challenging children. He has taken what he has learned from these children and developed a treatment program that is nationally recognized for its innovation and success with the most difficult cases. Dr. Ziegler has numerous publications and books including *Handbook for Treatment of Attachment-Trauma Problems in Children* (B. James Ed.), *Raising Children Who Refuse To Be Raised*, *Traumatic Experience and the Brain*, and the 2005 publication of *Achieving Success With Impossible Children, How to Win the Battle of Wills*.

**Nilofer Ahsan** is an Associate at the Center for the Study of Social Policy. She has been involved with policy and practice around children and family issues for the last 15 years. As the co-director of the FRIENDS National Resource Center she supported states' implementation of legislation around child abuse and neglect prevention. Nilofer has worked with family support initiatives in over 20 states to improve programmatic practice and develop evaluation and assessment strategies. She is also the author of a number of handbooks and tools for family support practitioners. She is currently involved in a number of new efforts to develop innovative practice models in the following areas: early care and education, domestic violence, child abuse and neglect prevention, and parent and resident leadership. She has a Masters in Public Policy from the University of Chicago.

# Conference Schedule



## THURSDAY, APRIL 14<sup>th</sup>, 2005

8:00 – 5:00	Registration
8:45 – 9:00	Welcome and Introductions
9:00 – 10:30	Keynote Presentation
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Break &amp; Networking</b> <i>Discussion Table Topic: How do we reach out to and engage at-risk parents in positive parenting models?</i>
11:00 – 12:30	Session 1 Workshops
12:30 – 1:30	Lunch on your own
1:30 – 3:00	Session 2 Workshops
3:00 – 3:30	<b>Break &amp; Networking</b> <i>Discussion Table Topic: Who should be our community partners in preventing child sexual abuse?</i>
3:30 – 5:00	Session 3 Workshops

### Keynote Presentations

#### Thursday

The Effects of Trauma on Parenting: Why We Have Reason to be Hopeful  
*Dave Ziegler, Ph.D., LMFT, LPC Jasper Mountain, Jasper, Oregon*

Trauma can have devastating impacts on people's lives, their health, their relationships, and their ability to parent. There is growing evidence that when traumatized individuals get the help and support they need--their lives, health, relationships and success as parents can improve substantially.

#### Friday

Strengthening Families through Early Care and Education  
*Nilofer Ahsan The Center for the Study of Social Policy, Washington, D.C*

For the past three years the Center for the Study of Social Policy has been documenting how small-scale, affordable but significant changes in early childhood programs can support parents under stress, improve their parenting, and thus prevent harm to children. Grounded in growing research about protective factors that are linked to abuse and neglect prevention, this approach does not cost large new amounts of money and builds on a workforce and literally thousands of programs that are already in contact with many of the nation's at-risk children. This keynote session will talk about the research that guides this work, give highlights of a new initiative to pilot the approach in three states, and talk about the implications for how we think about child abuse and neglect prevention.

### Session 1, Thursday 11:00 – 12:30

#### Session 1A—Coaching Parents: What Parents Do and Do Not Need, Dave Ziegler, Ph.D., LMFT, LPC

We must insure what we offer parents does not result in the opposite of what we intend. Making the shift to coaching is important. What we need to be doing more of and what we need to be doing less of will be addressed.

## FRIDAY, APRIL 15<sup>th</sup>, 2005

7:30 – 12:00	Registration
8:15 – 8:30	Welcome and Introductions
8:30 – 10:00	Keynote Presentation
10:00 – 10:30	<b>Break &amp; Networking</b> <i>Discussion Table Topic: How can Idaho address child abuse and neglect prevention through early care and learning settings?</i>
10:30 – 12:00	Session 4 Workshops
12:00 – 1:30	<b>Super Hero Luncheon!</b>
1:30 – 3:00	Session 5 Workshops
3:00 – 3:30	Evaluation

#### Session 1B—Barriers to the Prevention of Sexual Abuse, Robert Longo, MRC, LPC

Sexual abuse prevention has evolved during the past 10-20 years, but despite our efforts, barriers to preventing this serious social problem continue to exist. How has sexual abuse prevention evolved? How have past and present strategies worked? What are the barriers to preventing sexual abuse? How can we overcome these barriers? This workshop will explore the strategies used in sexual abuse prevention over the past 2 decades, and current strategies now being tested and used in the new millennium.

#### Session 1C—Building Resilient Families, Harriet Shaklee, Ph.D.

The past 20 years of research in family life show that risk factors can threaten family stability, but that family resilience can be just as powerful a force for family success. This workshop will explore the interplay between risk and resilience, with emphasis on helping families develop strengths to meet the challenges ahead.

#### Session 1D—Beyond Cinco de Mayo & Sombreros, Alejandra Rea

This interactive workshop explores the cultural context in early childhood education, and the possibilities in creating an environment of trust that supports the identity, reality and background of children, families and staff involved. During the workshop, participants will have opportunities to analyze their own values, traditions and cultural qualities in order to understand and celebrate the values, traditions and cultural qualities of others. At the end, the group will develop an overarching goal and achievable objectives to implement the knowledge acquired in their own practice.

### Session 2, Thursday 1:30 – 3:00

#### Session 2A—Parenting Approaches that Work with the Most Difficult Children, Dave Ziegler, Ph.D., LMFT, LPC

Parent education is a critical tool in strengthening families. But the tools must match the job. This workshop covers why many parenting program miss the mark with difficult children, and what methods have proved to be successful.

### **Session 2B—Stewards of Children, Trisha Bennett, Ph.D.**

Workshop participants will be introduced to Stewards of Children, a comprehensive sexual abuse prevention program developed by Darkness to Light. The training is designed for “front-line” adults with direct and ongoing responsibility for children and youth. Participants learn how to prevent, recognize, and react responsibly to child sexual abuse. The program has been evaluated for its effectiveness in a wide range of youth-serving organizations, as well as in changing individual knowledge, attitudes, and behaviors regarding CSA prevention.

The session is scheduled as a double session so that participants may participate in the full prevention program as it would be offered to frontline adults. Information will be provided on how organizations that serve children and youth might adopt the program.

### **Session 2C—Crisis Respite 101: A Child Abuse Prevention Strategy, Maggie Edgar, R.N., MSW**

The workshop will provide historical information regarding the birth of crisis nurseries as a child abuse prevention strategy. Participants will learn how crisis care services can reduce the likelihood of child maltreatment and out of home placement. An overview of the various models of crisis respite will be presented along with supplemental services generally offered to families. Finally, participants will be given resources that can be useful in creating a crisis care program in their community.

### **Session 2D—Traditional Indigenous Parenting, Maria Glawaka, Ph.D. & Drusilla Gould**

The workshop will present traditional indigenous parenting practices related to early mother-infant interactions that exercise a major influence on the child’s cognitive and socio-emotional development. Drusilla Gould, a Shoshone-Bannock tribal member will focus on the cultural practice of nagotooh (gahni) - the maternal nurturing of newborn babies in Shoshoni tradition, and the importance of the family and community support for young parents. This workshop will provide cultural information that may enrich bio-medical knowledge about positive parenting.

### **Session 3, Thursday 3:30 – 5:00**

#### **Session 3A—Supporting Resiliency in Parents, Dave Ziegler, Ph.D., LMFT, LPC**

This workshop will cover methods to help parents do what seems impossible—end the cycle of pain and failure. How do we promote health in parents, because healthy parents raise healthy children.

#### **Session 3B—Stewards of Children, continued, Trisha Bennett, Ph.D.**

#### **Session 3C—Crisis Respite: An Effective Means of Keeping Children Safe, Maggie Edgar, R.N., MSW**

The workshop will describe the various models of crisis respite and the supplemental services offered to families in order to build on family strengths and keep children safe. Tools for evaluating program effectiveness will be presented along with results of outcome evaluation data.

#### **Session 3D—Parenting with Dignity, Mac Bledsoe**

The Parenting with Dignity curriculum teaches parents how to instill a sense of responsible decision making in their kids. A positive approach to parenting that is simple, easily understood, applicable in any situation, and incredibly intuitive. The premise of the Parenting with Dignity philosophy is... “Our children will make all of the most important decisions in their lives - on their own. As parents, the only thing we can do is teach them how to make good decisions.”

### **Session 4, Friday 10:30 – 12:00**

#### **Session 4A—Strengthening Families Through Early Care and Education, Nilofer Ahsan, Wanda Newell, Ph.D.**

For the past three years CSSP has been documenting how small-scale, affordable but significant changes in early childhood programs can support parents under stress, improve

their parenting, and thus prevent harm to children. Building off the morning keynote session, this interactive workshop will use a self-assessment tool and other materials to help participants apply some of the ideas and practices from the Strengthening Families approach within their own program. Participants will learn more about how to build protective factors in children and families. Participants will also dialogue on how to integrate the approach into public policy at the state and national levels.

#### **Session 4B—Preventing Child Abuse in Youth Sports, Dave Caven**

The seminar addresses facts about child abuse in America and the types of abuse that occur in youth sports programs. Tips on ways to counter abuse are offered, such as recruiting volunteers, conducting background checks, dealing with parents, and training coaches. The seminar also covers topics such as why kids play, winning and losing, and sportsmanship. The presenter welcomes and encourages attendees to participate.

#### **Session 4C—Internet Crimes Against Children, Det. Shellie Strolberg & Det. Craig Durrell**

Detectives from the Ada County Sheriff’s Office discuss online child sexual abuse predators in a two part workshop. Topics will include how offenders get their victims, types of offenders, and children that may be victimized.

#### **Session 4D—Circle of Security: Shifting the Patterns of Attachment, Bert Powell, M.A.**

The Circle of Security Project is an internationally acclaimed intervention protocol designed to support secure attachment in high-risk populations. Current university and clinical research is making it clear that for individuals with an unhealthy attachment the basic capacities for emotional health are severely compromised. For this reason mental health professionals throughout the world are showing a dramatic interest in evidence-based studies regarding attachment in children and adults. Proper diagnosis and treatment of this population is thus becoming a priority for those involved with intervention and prevention.

This video-based seminar will utilize the acclaimed Circle of Security approach to bring answers to the following questions:

- Just how important is a child’s quality of attachment with primary caregivers?
- What are the essential characteristics of a parent/child relationship that will promote emotional well-being and mental health across the life span?
- What are the danger signs and implications of an unhealthy attachment?
- Once established, can unhealthy attachment patterns be altered?

### **Session 5, Friday 1:30 – 3:00**

#### **Session 5A—Strengthening Families Through Early Care and Education, continued, Nilofer Ahsan & Wanda Newell, Ph.D.**

#### **Session 5B—Hear Their Cries: Religious Responses to Child Abuse, Sandi Thompson-Royer**

Religious communities are called to protect their most vulnerable members, yet the norm in most religious communities is silence about child abuse and child sexual abuse. Too often, religious traditions have taught children to “honor” their parents and not question their actions, even when it hurts them. In this workshop, we will watch an award-winning video produced by the Faith Trust Institute on the role of clergy and lay leaders in ending child abuse. The video defines the different types of abuse; signs of how to recognize possible abuse; stories from adult survivors; discussion of theological issues, such as forgiveness and confidentiality; how to respond to disclosure; and ways for religious and community agencies to work together.

#### **Session 5C—Internet Crimes Against Children, continued, Det. Shellie Strolberg & Det. Craig Durrell**

#### **Session 5D—Circle of Security: Shifting the Patterns of Attachment, continued, Bert Powell, M.A.**

## Conference Presenters

**Wanda Newell, Ph.D.** is a Senior Associate who has served for the past five years as the Education Program Director at the Robert R. McCormick Tribune Foundation. In this role, Wanda established the Early Childhood Development Initiative with the City Colleges of Chicago to improve its teacher preparatory program and child development laboratory sites; supported the creation of a statewide comprehensive career development system and a training registry; promoted Early Childhood Centers of Excellence through professional development efforts focusing on recruitment, training and retention of high quality teachers to work in early childhood centers located in Chicago's most needy neighborhoods; and provided support for articulation initiatives among community colleges, state colleges and universities and private institutes of higher education. Wanda has a B.A. in Early Childhood Education from the National College of Education, an M.A. in Early Childhood Education from the University of Alabama, an M.S. in Human Development and Family Life from the University of Alabama, a Ph.D. in Family and Child Development from Auburn University with an emphasis on the ecological perspective of parenting and child development, and she was a Post Doctoral Fellow, Interdisciplinary Training in Psychology, at the University of Alabama. Wanda has used her education, training and experience to improve the lives of poor children and families in the fields of education, health and social science. She has been a teacher, a lecturer, Assistant Professor, a Head Start Program Director and a childcare advocate and trainer for day care workers. She has published numerous articles and reports.

**Maggie Edgar, R.N., MSW** is both a Registered Nurse and an MSW from the University of Washington. She has worked in the field of child abuse and neglect treatment and prevention for more than 20 years. Ms. Edgar developed and started a 24-hour crisis nursery (emergency respite) program in 1988 and subsequently worked for the Washington State Department of Social and Health Services in the Central Office as a Program Manager, overseeing respite and crisis nursery grantees and other child abuse prevention activities and services.

Ms. Edgar has been providing technical assistance on issues related to both emergency and planned respite to community based programs, state agencies, and state respite coalitions for the ARCH National Respite Network and Resource Center since 1993. She has also provided technical assistance for the FRIENDS National Resource Center for CBCAP grantees. Ms. Edgar has presented workshops at state, national and international conferences, has offered training on a variety of topics, and has published training materials and articles. She is currently working as an independent consultant.

**Maria Glowacka, Ph.D.** is a cultural anthropologist specializing in the area of indigenous studies. She also holds master's degrees in both biology and philosophy. She is an Assistant Professor at the Department of Anthropology, at Idaho State University, Pocatello.

**Harriet Shaklee, Ph.D.** is the Extension Family Development Specialist at the University of Idaho. She received her Ph.D. in child development psychology at the University of Oregon and has 30 years experience teaching, doing research, and outreach on issues relevant to children and families. Special interests include rural families, transition to adulthood, early childhood, parent education, work and family, and family history.

**Bert Powell, M.A.** is a therapist who has been in private practice for twenty-five years. In addition to his private practice, he has provided treatment to children and their families through Washington State Child and Family Services, is an Adjunct Assistant Professor in the Graduate School of Counseling Psychology at Gonzaga University, and a co-founder of Marycliff Institute in Spokane.

Bert, along with his colleagues Glen Cooper, Kent Hoffman, and Robert Marvin, co-founded the Circle of Security Project at Marycliff Institute in Spokane, Washington. They currently present their approach to clinicians and researchers throughout the United States, Europe, and Australia. Their project's goal is to integrate university-based attachment research into a video-oriented intervention to strengthen parent's capacity to observe and improve their caregiving skills.

Bert Powell and his colleagues were recently awarded the Washington State Governor's Child Abuse Prevention Award for "Innovations in Prevention" by Governor Gary Locke and The Washington Council for Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect.

**Detective Craig Durrell** has worked for the Ada County Sheriff's Office since 1992 and has 14 years of law enforcement experience. He has worked in Corrections, 911 Dispatch, Patrol, and is now beginning his third year as a detective in the Major Crimes Unit serving as the Child Abuse Detective for the Sheriff's Office. He received his degree in criminal justice from Southern Maine Technical College in his hometown of Portland, Maine.

Craig is co-housed with the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare and works closely with their Child Protection unit. Craig primarily handles cases involving child physical and sexual abuse and neglect. He is also a member of the Idaho Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force, ICAC, conducting investigations into child sexual abuse involving the Internet. Since January of 2003, Craig has investigated approximately 300 cases of child abuse.

Craig has provided training in the field of child abuse and neglect to the CASA program, the Idaho State P.O.S.T. Academy, the Boise and Meridian School Districts and the Idaho Department of Health and Welfare.

**Dave Gaven** is the Executive Director of the Kids Sports Network (KSN) in San Antonio, Texas and has held this position for four years. His responsibilities include the management of KSN operations and providing leadership for staff members, interns and numerous volunteers as they strive to improve youth sports. Prior to that, he served in the United States Air Force for nearly 25 years before retiring as a Chief Master Sergeant in the spring of 2001. Dave held various positions throughout his career in the sports, fitness, and recreation areas that included working with youth, active duty personnel and their family members, coaches and referees. His last assignment was at the Headquarters Air Force Services Agency in San Antonio where he served as the Senior Enlisted Advisor for nearly 8,400 military personnel. In August 2000, he was presented with the prestigious General Lezy Award that recognizes outstanding contributions to the Air Force.

**Drusilla Gould** is an Adjunct Instructor at the Department of Anthropology, at Idaho State University, Pocatello. She teaches a two-year Shoshoni language curriculum and works on several projects regarding the preservation of the Shoshoni language and tradition. She is a member of the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes at Fort Hall.



**Robert Longo, MRC, LPC** has specialized in the sexual abuse field and has worked with victims, and with juvenile and adult sex abusers in residential, hospital, prison, and community-based settings since 1978. He is a past Corporate Director of Special Programming and Clinical Training for New Hope Treatment Centers, Charleston, South Carolina. He is co-founder and first President of the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA). Rob was previously Director of the Safer Society Foundation, Inc. and the Safer Society Press. He was the director of the Sex Offender Correctional Treatment Program; Mental Health Division, State of Oregon; Oregon State Hospital, Salem, Oregon and was formerly the Director of the Sex Offender Unit; North Florida Evaluation and Treatment Center; Gainesville, Florida and consultant to the sex offender programs for the State of Florida.

Rob is a member of the National Offense-Specific Residential Standards Task Force, an Advisory Board member of the National Adolescent Perpetrator Network, a national committee member of the Center for Sex Offender Management, a national advisory committee member to the National Center On Sexual Behavior of Youth, an advisory team member to From Darkness to Light, an associate of the Academy Group based in Manassas, Virginia, and publisher for NEARI Press.

Rob has trained professionals in law enforcement, mental health, protective service agencies, victim advocate programs, criminal justice, and the judicial system internationally. He has been a consultant and trainer for the National Institute of Corrections and has helped develop sexual abuser treatment programs throughout the United States, and in Australia, Canada, and New Zealand.

**Trisha Bennett** joined the staff of Darkness to Light as Director of Programs, Products, and Services in January 2004 after a thirteen year career as a faculty member in the Psychology Department at the College of Charleston. Dr. Bennett earned her bachelor and masters degrees in Psychology from Wake Forest University and her doctoral degree in Developmental Psychology from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Dr. Bennett's research focus has been on the factors that contribute to children's cognitive and socioemotional development, and she has published several articles and book chapters in the area, including a recent article in Cognition.

In her capacity at Darkness to Light, Dr. Bennett is responsible for the development, evaluation, and distribution of all sexual abuse prevention curricula and programs. She regularly presents her work at national meetings focused on the prevention of child maltreatment and serves on several national prevention task forces. She also serves on the Board of Directors of the Lowcountry Children's Center, a children's advocacy center in Charleston, SC, as well as several other boards of organizations that serve children and adolescents.

**Alejandra Rebolledo Rea** has worked in various early childhood and preschool programs for over fifteen years. Her experience includes working with diverse populations in Mexico, New Mexico and Idaho. She holds a Bachelor's Degree in Preschool Education from the "Universidad Autónoma de Ciudad Juárez" in Juárez, Mexico and Professor of English as a Second Language from the teachers college in Chihuahua city. She is involved in various early childhood projects dedicated to advocacy and professional development opportunities benefiting children and early childhood professionals. Alejandra has provided workshops and panel presentations at the State Level through conferences and Institutes and at the National Level through the National Migrant and Seasonal Head Start Association Conferences. Some of the topics presented include cultural awareness, involving and working with Latino parents, discipline and culture, and individualizing for young children. Alejandra is currently the Program Director for the Idaho Migrant Council, Migrant and Seasonal Head Start Program serving 754 children zero to five years of age and their Migrant and Seasonal farm worker families.

**Sandi Thompson-Royer** has been working in the domestic violence movement for over 15 years beginning in a community in rural NE Washington State organizing with community members to begin a grassroots volunteer program. She was a safe home and hotline volunteer. Eventually, she was one of the first paid staff to what is now Connections, a thriving DV/SA shelter program in an ultra rural community that provides advocacy and shelter to women and children throughout the county. Sandi left her position at Connections to do a national project for the Presbyterian Church USA creating a national network called Presbyterians Against Domestic Violence. This network is challenging the church to do justice around violence against women and children. Sandi has served on the Washington State Coalition Against Domestic Violence Board and is part of a training team that provides regional trainings for advocates in Washington State. Currently, in Spokane she is working at the Peace and Justice Action League on living wage issues.

Sandi is a member of Bethany Presbyterian Church and has served as an elder, deacon, Sunday school teacher, Chair of the Inland NW Presbyterian Peacemaking Committee and is currently on the Committee on Justice for Women.

Sandi has recently led a group of advocates from Washington State to do advocacy trainings with women in Guatemala.

Sandi is a mother of four children ranging from 16 to 25. In her spare time she loves gardening, traveling, eating, cross-country skiing, backpacking, reading and has new love for quilting!

**Mac Bledsoe** is founder and president of Parenting with Dignity. He is a graduate of the University of Washington with a degree in speech and psychology. Mac spent 29 years as a teacher, including stints as a football, track, basketball, baseball and debate coach.

Parenting with Dignity was born out of Mac and his wife Barbara's disillusionment with the culture in their classrooms, and the increasing numbers of students who seemed to be morally and ethically rudderless. They determined to teach parents how to teach their values, morals, and ethics to their children and to teach decision-making skills. Today Parenting with Dignity is a nation-wide parent education program sponsored by the Drew Bledsoe Foundation. Mr. Bledsoe and his wife live in Kalispell, MT. They are the parents of two adult sons and grandparents to four.

**Shellie Strolberg** has been with the Ada County Sheriff's Office since 1995. She is currently a detective in the Major Crimes Unit where she specializes in investigating felony crimes against people, including rape, robbery, and homicide. The bulk of the cases she investigates are child sexual abuse.

Shellie is also a member of Idaho ICAC (Internet Crimes Against Children). ICAC is a multijurisdiction task force including members from the Ada County Sheriff's Office, Boise Police Department, Canyon County Sheriff's Office, and The Federal Bureau of Investigation. ICAC conducts investigations regarding child sexual abuse wherein the Internet is involved.

Shellie is also a member of CITE, (Critical Incident Task Force) investigating critical incidents that local police officers are involved in, as well as the Ada County Sheriff's Office Crisis Negotiation Team (CNT). CNT members work with barricaded subjects or hostage takers to negotiate the safe release of hostages and/or surrender of the offender.

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## ACCOMMODATIONS

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The hotel is holding a block of lodging rooms for Strengthening Families Conference participants. Please call the hotel at 1-800-233-4611 and mention the Idaho

Children's Trust Fund Strengthening Families Conference by March 23 to reserve your room at the special group rate of \$61 per night single, or \$71 per night double.

Reservations made after March 23 will be at the hotel's standard room rates.

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Please choose one workshop per session:

**Session 1: Thursday, April 14 11:00 – 12:30**

- ☐ 1A Coaching Parents: What Parents Do and Do Not Need
- ☐ 1B Barriers to the Prevention of Sexual Abuse
- ☐ 1C Building Resilient Families
- ☐ 1D Beyond Cinco de Mayo & Sombreros

**Session 2 Thursday, April 14 1:30 – 3:00**

- ☐ 2A Parenting Approaches that Work with the Most Difficult Children
- ☐ 2B Stewards of Children (Part 1 of 2)
- ☐ 2C Crisis Respite 101: A Child Abuse Prevention Strategy
- ☐ 2D Traditional Indigenous Parenting

**Session 3 Thursday, April 14 3:30 – 5:00**

- ☐ 3A Supporting Resiliency in Parents
- ☐ 3B Stewards of Children, (Part 2 of 2)
- ☐ 3C Crisis Respite: An Effective Means of Keeping Children Safe
- ☐ 3D Parenting with Dignity

**Session 4: Friday, April 15 10:30 – 12:00**

- ☐ 4A Strengthening Families Through Early Care and Education (Part 1 of 2)
- ☐ 4B Preventing Child Abuse in Youth Sports
- ☐ 4C Internet Crimes Against Children (Part 1 of 2)
- ☐ 4D Circle of Security: Shifting the Patterns of Attachment (Part 1 of 2)

**Session 5: Friday, April 15 1:30 – 3:00**

- ☐ 5A Strengthening Families Through Early Care and Education (Part 2 of 2)
- ☐ 5B Hear Their Cries: Religious Responses to Child Abuse
- ☐ 5C Internet Crimes Against Children (Part 2 of 2)
- ☐ 5D Circle of Security: Shifting the Patterns of Attachment (Part 2 of 2)



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### Discussion Tables *Optional*

The optional Discussion Tables will take place during conference breaks. Participation will be limited to the first 14 people to register. If you sign up, please come prepared to participate!

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| <input type="radio"/> 1 | Thursday 10:35 — 10:55 | How do we reach out to and engage at-risk parents in positive parenting models?                    |
| <input type="radio"/> 2 | Thursday 3:05 — 3:25   | Who should be our community partners in preventing child sexual abuse?                             |
| <input type="radio"/> 3 | Friday 10:05 — 10:25   | How can Idaho address child abuse and neglect prevention through early care and learning settings? |

### CEU's

- ☐ Please check if you will require a certificate for CEU's. (11.0 for attending the entire conference)

### Special Needs

- ☐ Vegetarian Meal
- ☐ Mobile, visual, or audio access      Please specify \_\_\_\_\_

### Registration Fees and Payment

*Friday Luncheon is included*

#### Early Registration (Postmarked by March 31)

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| <input type="radio"/> Conference                                    |                                |                              | \$75 |
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| <input type="radio"/> Student: University _____                     | Major _____                    |                              | \$40 |
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#### Late Registration (Postmarked after March 31)

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| <input type="radio"/> Student: University _____                     | Major _____                    |                              | \$50 |
| <input type="radio"/> ICTF Grantee (one person per grantee program) |                                |                              | \$ 0 |

- ☐ **20th Anniversary Celebration Banquet** (Optional)      \$20  
Thursday, April 14, 6–8 p.m.

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